

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 5520

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LCO No. 1720



Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by: (ED)

## AN ACT CONCERNING THE AVAILABILITY OF AN ON-LINE STUDY SKILLS CURRICULUM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subsection (d) of section 10-16b of the general statutes is
- 2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective July
- 3 1, 2014):
- 4 (d) The State Board of Education shall make available curriculum
- 5 materials and such other materials as may assist local and regional
- 6 boards of education in developing instructional programs pursuant to
- 7 this section. The State Board of Education, within available
- 8 appropriations and utilizing available resource materials, shall assist
- 9 and encourage local and regional boards of education to include: (1)
- 10 Holocaust and genocide education and awareness; (2) the historical
- 11 events surrounding the Great Famine in Ireland; (3) African-American
- 12 history; (4) Puerto Rican history; (5) Native American history; (6)
- 13 personal financial management; (7) training in cardiopulmonary
- 14 resuscitation and the use of automatic external defibrillators; (8) on-
- 15 line coursework that provides remedial study skills instruction for

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- 16 students; and [(8)] (9) topics approved by the state board upon the
- 17 request of local or regional boards of education as part of the program
- 18 of instruction offered pursuant to subsection (a) of this section.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend t sections:		ws and shall amend the following
Section 1	July 1, 2014	10-16b(d)

## Statement of Purpose:

To require the State Board of Education to make available to local and regional boards of education curriculum materials concerning on-line coursework that provides study skills instruction for students.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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